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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 15, 2004, applicant hereby elects with traverse Group I, claims 1-16 and Species II, figure 5, for examination at this time.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.